

## ***Contract Management Office Awardees***

### ***Award Category: Increasing Participation***

*For the Contract Management Offices (CMO) most effective at increasing participation by utilizing innovative approaches.*

#### **DCM Dayton**

DCM Dayton Administrative Contracting Officers have issued SPI block change modifications on 12 of 16 concept papers. The modifications consist of: 2 for ISO-10012-1 calibration standards, 3 for ANSI-J-STD-001B soldering, 2 for revised FAR 52.244-2 clause on subcontractor consent/recognition, 2 in-house Performance Specifications for solder and paint & coating requirements, 1 AWS D1.2 for welding, 1 to incorporate FAR 52.246-15 Certificate of Conformance clause, and 1 IPC-4101 for best commercial practice to specify printed circuit board material. DCM Dayton continues to pursue new approaches for increasing contractor SPI participation.

#### **DCM Seattle**

DCM Seattle was struggling in the SPI arena. Realizing a proactive approach was needed, an intense training program was initiated. Being a geographical CMO, serving small-to-mid-sized contractors, they needed to find ways to reach the largest possible group of contractors with the SPI benefits. A Quarterly Joint Management Council was initiated to provide an innovative forum to turn the SPI program into a CMO success story. As a result of these efforts, DCM Seattle increased the number of SPI concept papers by 500%, the participating contractors by 600%, and identified and modified eight new processes.